

KNIGHTWATCH

December 11, 2020





THIRD WEEK Of ADVENT

(December 13)





Adam Kirsch

FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .

Q) How do we know that Jesus was raised from the dead?

A) The testimony of believers

Our theme for the year focuses on the idea that we need to be prepared to answer the questions for the reason for the hope that we have. There are questions that non-Christians have of Christians in relation to our faith. Throughout the year we will focus on answers to these questions through a lens on the central figure to our faith – Jesus Christ.

To this day I have had the help that comes from God, and so I stand here testifying both to the small and great, saying nothing but what the prophets and Moses said would come to pass; that the Christ must suffer and that, by being the first to rise from the dead, He would proclaim light both to our people and to the Gentiles. (Acts 26:22-23)

Scripture (as well as other non-believing, historical writers of the day) records the appearances of Jesus after His resurrection. They speak of the number of individuals Jesus appeared to in flesh and blood. They all testify that it was true. Those who were so fearful that they abandoned Christ before His death were now willing to die for their belief in the resurrection. Their testimony shows the transformative power of an interaction with Christ. Our own connection with the risen Savior not only informs our belief in the resurrection, but also reveals the transformative power in our own lives. The same power that defeated death 2000 years ago has also defeated our eternal death. Because of the resurrection we have the promise of eternal life. We have an assurance of a future and an eternal hope (1 Peter 3:15).



UPCOMING EVENTS...

12/14-12/18 Exams Week

12/18 Ugly Christmas Sweater contest, with prizes

12/23 - 1/5 Christmas Break

SNOW DAYS In the event severe weather conditions would occur, please check one of the local media

outlets for information on school closings. Our recommendation is that you check the WTMJ website (www.todaystmj4.com) for the earliest and most up-to-date information. Other media outlets broadcasting school closings include:

Television: WTMJ-4, FOX-6, WISN-12, CBS-58 Radio: 94.5 KTI Country, 620WTMJ

Internet: fox6now.com/weather, WISN.com, cbs58.com

Since our students come from many parts of the metropolitan area, weather conditions may vary from one area to another. Please use discretion in sending your child to school even though school may be in session. A guideline to use in making your decision would be the decision that your local public school district has made. (Example: If you live in Cedarburg and the Cedarburg school district has closed due to the weather, consider keeping your child home from school that day.)

In the event that a sudden snowstorm forces school to close before the regular closing time, make certain that your child knows exactly where to go and what to do should no one be home during the school day.

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

FOR ALL STUDENTS - REPORTING A STUDENT ABSENT OR LATE Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office by email attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org OR (414) 461-6062 by 9 AM on the day of the absence.

EARLY RELEASE If you need to have your student released early, please Email attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org or call the attendance office (414) 461-6062 AT LEAST ONE HOUR IN **ADVANCE**. Last minute calls may result in a delayed dismissal.

GETTING A MESSAGE TO A STUDENT If you need to get a message to a student, please attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org OR call (414) 461-6062 and a message will be sent to the student through student mail.

Please note that due to the large volume of calls and activity in the attendance office you may have to leave a message. Messages are checked often and the call will be handled accordingly.Thank you for your assistance in this matter!

ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:

GUTTER: Freshmen E. JANOUSKY: Juniors SINCLAIR: Sophomores STEINKE: Seniors

L. KOEBERT: Transition

Week of December 14 - December 18







OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students

Greetings,

The end of the semester is coming quickly. There are only 7 school days left. We have a full week next week (14th-18th) and then 2 days the following week (21st and 22nd). I encourage you to check on your student's grades through Skyward. If you are having trouble accessing your student's grades, please call/email me or an academic advisor. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding policies/procedures. My contact information is jkalkopf@milwaukeelutheran.org and 414-461-6000x205.

The verse of encouragement I chose for today is from Isaiah 9:6: "For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Have a great weekend!

God's Blessings, Mr. Joe Kalkopf Dean of Culture



School Hours 8:00 am - 3:20 pm

School Office Hours 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

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2020-2021 Calendar

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25 First Full Day - All Students

<u>September</u>

7 No School - Labor Day

<u>October</u>

6 Week Progress Point 2 Fall Open House 8 15 Parent-Teacher Conf. (PM) 16 No School - Parent-Teacher Conf.

November

5 Fall Open House 6 No School - Professional Dev. 12 Week Progress Point 13 25-27 No School - Thanks giving

<u>December</u>

18, 21-22 Final Exams 23-31 No School – Christmas Break

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1-5	No School - Christmas Break
6	First Day of Second Semester
18	No School - MLK Day

<u>February</u> No School – Professional Dev. 5 19 6 Week Progress Point

<u>March</u>

11	Parent-Teacher Cont. (PM)
12	No School - Parent-Teacher Conf
15-19	No School – Spring Break
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<u>April</u>

2	No School - Good Friday
5	No School - Easter Monday
9	12 Week Progress Point
26	No School - Professional Dev.

May

27-28 Final Exams Graduation (9:00 AM) 29

BLOCK KEY:

Yellow - EVEN <mark>Green</mark> - ODD <mark>Blue</mark> – ALL Red - No School

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SHARING JESUS. SHAPING LIVES. DEVELOPING LEADERS.

11/10/2020

ADMISSIONS...

Do you know anyone that has a current 8th grader in their family? If so, here is the MLHS Admissions process that you are welcomed to pass onto them. If they have any admissions questions, they should reach out to Mrs. Janousky, Director of Admissions, at rjanousky@milwaukeelutheran.org



Checklist to Become a Red Knight

MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL 2021-2022 School Year

ALL STEPS must be completed for your child to attend MLHS.

You need both ACADEMIC ACCEPTANCE and a CHOICE SEAT or TUITION PLAN to be accepted and enrolled at MLHS.

- Complete an online application at www.milwaukeelutheran.org. Click on Admissions tab at the top and "Get Started."
- Register for a Placement Exam. Students will register to take the Placement Exam on the online application
- Take a VIRTUAL Placement Exam at MLHS
- After a Placement Test has been taken, you will receive your test

results and a Next Step Letter.

If academically accepted, you will be prompted to finish an enrollment form. To enroll, either log back into your online application or use the link found in your 'New Student Welcome' email.

Remember to set up a payment plan in February! (see next step)

- Starting February 1, 2021, apply for a Choice Seat OR set up a **Tuition Payment Plan:**
 - □ Choice: Apply online for a MPCP seat (February 1 22, April 1 20, July 1 20, 2021) or a WPCP seat (February 1, – April 15, 2021). When Choice Seats are filled, a wait list will be started.

 APPLY EARLY! (see Milwaukee/Wisconsin Parental Choice Programs sheet)
 - ☐ Tuition: After being academically accepted, enroll & set up a billing agreement. To enroll, either log back into your online application or use the link found in your 'New Student Welcome' email.
- Select Classes. We will contact you in the Spring to sign up for a Freshman Course Selection Night only AFTER Academic Acceptance AND a Choice Seat or Tuition Plan are verified.

9700 W Grantosa Drive Milwaukee, WI 53222 www.MilwaukeeLutheran.org Phone: 414-461-6000 Fax:414-461-2733

If you know any prospective MLHS 9th grade families for the 2021-22 school year, feel free to pass on this following invite to them.

MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Virtual Q&A

Thursday, January 14th 7:00 am | 12:00 pm | 6:00 pm

Pick ONE timeslot that works best for you for an estimated 30-minute Zoom meeting.

Grab your coffee, lunch, or appetizer, and learn about Milwaukee Lutheran! Rachel Janousky, Director of Admissions, will lead the discussions about the high school, the admission process, and how to apply for choice & financial aid.



https://zoom.us/j/ 96026832226









Rachel Janousky Director of Admissions

ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of December 14th to December 18th:

Please refer to our website for Athletic events: www.RedKnightAthletics.org

Winter Sports team picture day is coming up on Thursday, December 17! Your athlete's photos will be posted online after your photo day for viewing and ordering. Please click here to sign up for email notification when your photo is ready to view and order:

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If you have any questions about sports team and individual pictures, please contact Visual Image Photography at support@vipis.com

Visual Image Photography * main office: 262.375.4457 * web: www.vipis.com * email: support@vipis.com



John Ellenberger Athletic Director

STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

Senior Shirts: DEADLINE EXTENDED to Friday, December 18: Seniors, are you interested in purchasing this year's senior shirt? Check the Senior's Schoology Page for details on how to order! To order, follow the directions below.



To purchase your shirt, follow this link to access Efunds: https://payments.efundsforschools.com/v3/districts/56396/
Directions:

- 1. Select "Login" or "Create Account" on the left side of the screen
- 2. Log in or create your account
- 3. Select "Pay for Optional Fees"
- 4. Select your student
- 5. Choose the appropriate Senior Shirt item
- 6. Click "Begin Checkout" and follow the prompts to pay

THANK YOU to everyone who donated for our annual food drive! The drive was a success, and we are looking forward to delivering food to those in need within our community!

<u>Paint Night:</u> Student Council is looking forward to our rescheduled Paint Night in January! Stay tuned for specifics, including the new dates!

Roller Skate Night: Due to the success of our Roller Skate Night this Fall, we will be hosting another Roller Skate Night at Butler Skateland in February! More details will be coming soon!

Student Council: Our next meeting is Monday, 12/14 at 9am. Be sure to register in advance! (Check with your committee leader for help, if needed.)



CURRENT NEWS...



Please click HERE to view the MLHS wish list.

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK NOW ...

It is a great time to order the 2021 YEARBOOK! Orders for the yearbook will now be taken only online by visiting www.jostensyearbooks.com!!! All books will cost \$65. So, make sure to buy your yearbook online so you can cross that off your list of things to do this school year!!! Any questions - email Mrs. Tennies @ ktennies@milwaukeelutheran.org

WANT TO BUY AN AD IN THE YEARBOOK FOR YOUR SENIOR OR BUSINESS?

Do you want to shout out your senior son or daughter in the yearbook for them to remember for years to come? Or advertise your company/business for future prospects in high schoolers? You can purchase a full page, half, quarter, or even an eighth of a page, in full color. Contact Mrs. Tennies @ kkuehl@milwaukeelutheran.org for more information and the form to fill out. **Yearbook ad deadline is February 12th, 2021.**

HEY JUNIORS!

COLLEGE POSSIBLE IS RECRUITING STUDENTS AT YOUR SCHOOL

IF YOU ARE...

- + A junior (graduating in 2022)
- + Have a cumulative GPA of 2.0+
- + Interested in pursuing a Bachelor's Degree



We offer support on:

- College exploration
- ACT registration and preparation
- College applications
- Financial aid & more!

...APPLY FOR COLLEGE POSSIBLE TODAY!

Go to CollegePossible.org/Join and complete the online application.

Questions? Email AMiner@CollegePossible.org

CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED...



Are you interested in becoming a member of the Red Knight Trapshooting Team?

Our first team practice for the 2021 season is approaching quickly. If interested in being part of one of the fastest growing

ur first team practice for the 2021 season is approaching quickly. If interested in being part of one of the fastest growing youth sports in the country, please contact Head Coach Brad Patterson (414-254-0521 or at rktrap25@gmail.com) for sign up information and details on how to join the team.

SOME QUICK FACTS

- Team is open to Male and Female student athletes
- · Only sport where you can be on the trapshooting team and participate on another high school athletic team
- Is a co-op team with athletes from Martin Luther, Lake Country Lutheran, and Milwaukee Lutheran High schools along with 7th and 8th grade athletes from our "feeder schools"
- Opportunity to earn a high school "letter"
- There is a team fee to participate which covers school sports fees, registration costs, all targets and ammunition for the season.

Our first practice session of the 2021 season will be at the Waukesha Gun Club (N22W23170 Watertown Road, Waukesha, WI 53188) on Sunday January 3rd at 5:30 pm.



MONDAY, Dec. 14 – No Lunch, Virtual Instruction TUESDAY, Dec. 15 – Popcorn Chicken & Mashed Potato Bowl WEDNESDAY, Dec. 16 – Cook's Choice THURSDAY, Dec. 17 – Popcorn Chicken & Mashed Potato Bowl FRIDAY, Dec. 18 – Quesadilla

CHRISTMAS BREAK - Dec. 23 - Jan. 5

Jan. 6 - Jan. 8: No Lunch, Virtual Instruction

<u>PARKING LOT SAFETY:</u> For the safety of all our students and parents, please find below a few reminders about dropping off/picking up your student(s) in the morning and after school.

- 1. When picking up after school, please DO NOT park between the orange cones. This area is designated for the buses.
- 2. When dropping off in the morning, you may pull up next to the canopy or next to the parking lot. Please DO NOT stop in the middle of the driveway this causes congestion.
- 3. Please **DRIVE SLOWLY** at all times and watch for pedestrians crossing.

"THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE DRIVER"

CANOPY Δ NO PARKING BETWEEN CONES (AFTER SCHOOL ONLY) Δ DRIVEWAY-----NO STOPPING DROP OFF/PICKUP

